

-PROCLAMATION-

WHEREAS prostate cancer is the most common cancer risk to affect Canadian men; **AND WHEREAS** one in seven men in Canada will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in their lifetime representing the number one cancer risk to men; an estimated 23,100 Canadian men will be diagnosed with prostate AND WHEREAS cancer this year; AND WHEREAS the survival rate for prostate cancer can be over 90% when detected early; **AND WHEREAS** those with a family history of the disease, or those of African or Caribbean descent are at a greater risk of developing prostate cancer; **AND WHEREAS** Prostate Cancer Canada recommends that men get a PSA test in their 40s to establish their baseline;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Andy Adams, Mayor of the City of Campbell River, do hereby proclaim the month of September to be

"Prostate Cancer Awareness Month"

in the City of Campbell River, Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 15th day of August 2017 in Campbell River BC.

Andy Adams MAYOR